

EDUCATION:

MAEd, Art Education, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC. May 2009 (4.0 GPA)
BFA, Art Education/Textiles, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC-May 2001 (3.54)

ART EDUCATION EXPERIENCE:

Indiantown Middle School, Indiantown FL

Visual Arts Teacher: 5-8, 2009-current

Courses Taught: 5-8 Curriculum based on the Sunshine State Standards and International Baccalaureate® Middle Years Programme. Advisor, Art Club and SWAT (Students Working Against Tobacco), Website, www.indiantownart.com

Armory Arts Center, West Palm Beach, FL

Summer camp and Drawing Instructor: Ages 5-8, 2010

Instructor for art classes/camps

Wintergreen Primary School, Greenville, NC

Visual Arts Teacher: K-2, 2007-2009

Courses Taught: K-2 Visual Art Curriculum based on the NCSCOS.

Website, <http://wgpart.synthasite.com>

Webmaster for school site, http://www.pittschools.org/wint_pri/index.htm

After school Art Studio for Second graders, <http://wgpafterschoolartstudio.synthasite.com>

Cheerleading Coach for PCCSR Program, grades 1-3, <http://pccsrcheer.synthasite.com>

East Carolina University, Greenville, NC

Teaching Assistant: University Level, January-May 2009

Courses Taught: Assisted with ART 1910, an undergraduate-level Art Appreciation course, taught via BlackBoard. Duties include grading discussion board posts, research papers, projects, maintaining course grade book.

Leesville Road High School, Raleigh, NC

Visual Arts Teacher: 9-12, 2003-2005

Courses Taught: High School Visual Art Curriculum based on the NCSCOS. Art 1, Art 2, Art 3 and 4 combined, Honors Art, Independent Study

Head Coach- Varsity Cheerleaders. National Art Honor Society Sponsor,

Website, www.pridecheer.com (closed site on June 1, 2005)

D.H. Conley High School, Greenville, NC

Visual Arts Teacher: 9-12, 2001-2004

Courses Taught: High School Visual Art Curriculum based on the NCSCOS. Art 1, Art 2, Art 3 and 4 combined, Honors Art, Independent Study

National Art Honor Society Chapter Sponsor, Assistant Coach- Varsity Cheerleaders.

Websites, www.geocities.com/conleyart and www.geocities.com/conleyart

ART EDUCATION EXPERIENCE continued:

Legislators School for Leadership Development-East Carolina University

Teaching Faculty: 2002-03: 6-12, 2008

Courses Taught: Two week summer program, middle/high school. Curriculum based on Sean Covey's Seven Habits of Highly Effective Teens.

E.B. Aycock Middle School & Wahl Coates Elementary School, Greenville, NC

Visual Arts Intern: 9-12, 2000-2001

Courses Taught: 6-8 Visual Art Curriculum based on the NCSCOS.

Sawtooth Center for the Visual Arts-Winston Salem, NC

Assistant to Youth Program Director: K-8, summer 1998

Courses Taught: Responsible for the organization and teaching of thematic art lessons for a ten-week summer camp.

HONORS AND AWARDS:

National Board Certification- Early and Middle Childhood, November 2010

Martin County Middle School Teacher of the Year, 2011

Teacher of the Year, Indiantown Middle School, 2010-2011

Selected as one of 10 art teachers nationwide to be a Surface Design Association Scholar (2011)

Selected as one of 30 teachers nationwide for Jump at the Sun: Zora Neale Hurston and Here Eatonville Roots, NEH Landmark workshop/grant (June 2010)

Selected as one of 32 teachers nationwide for the Power of Art Workshop, Robert Rauschenberg Foundation at The Lab School of Washington, DC (April 2010)

Selected as one of twelve teachers to travel to Japan (Summer 2009), funded by Fulbright-Hays NCTAN Asian Seminar, East Carolina University, 2008

Teacher's Executive Institute Participant, Pitt County Schools, 2007

North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teachers, workshop attendee, 2007

Outstanding ILT Recognition, Pitt County Schools, 2002

Graduate Cum Laude, East Carolina University, 2001

Most Outstanding Art Education Student, East Carolina University, 2001

North Carolina Teaching Fellow Scholarship Recipient, 1996-2000

Omicron Delta Kappa Leadership Society, East Carolina University, 1998-2001

Golden Key Honor Society, East Carolina University, 1998-2001

Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society, East Carolina University, 1996-2000

Dean's List, East Carolina University, 1996-2000

Chancellor's List, East Carolina University, 2000-01

Honor's Program, East Carolina University, 2000

American Scholar Award, nominee. 1997

Gamma Sigma Sigma White Rose Award, East Carolina University, 2000

GRANTS:

- (2011) Florida League of IB Schools, Grants for Excellence: Chihuly-inspired Sculpture Installation
- (2011) Donorschoose.org, 'Walk Like an Egyptian....ARTIST!'
- (2010) Women Supporting the Arts Grant, African Art Curriculum
- (2010) Target Field Trip Grant, Norton Museum
- (2010) Education Foundation of Martin County- Classroom Enrichment Grant, African Arts Resources
- (2010) Indiantown Coalition Grant, Adinkra Cloth
- (2010) Power of Art, Supply award to Jerry's Art-O-Rama
- (2009) Donorschoose.org, Grant to purchase Spanish/Mexican Artists Books and Resources
- (2009) Florida League of IB Schools, Professional Enrichment Grant to attend *Florida State University ART&DESIGN for Social Justice Symposium, in Association with the Kids' Guernica International Peace Mural Project, January 16-18*
- (2009) Florida League of League of IB Schools, Grants for Excellence: *Creating a Global Canvas: Kids' Guernica International Peace Mural Project*
- (2009) Education Foundation of Martin County- Classroom Enrichment Grant, *Hanga: 版画 The Art of Japanese Prints*
- (2009) Character Counts Grant, *Altered Awareness: Expressing Themes of Respect, Fairness and Caring Through Altered Books*
- (2009) Indiantown Coalition Grant, *Thinking Inside the Box: Reliquaries, Retablos and Sacred Vessels of Many Cultures*
- (2008) Pitt County Educational Foundation Grant, *A Walk on the Wild Side with Henri Rousseau*

PUBLICATIONS:

- Electronic Portfolio, <http://jenniferlovegironda.synthasite.com>, created 2008
- Personal Web site, <http://www.jennifer-love-gironda.com>, created 2004
- Wintergreen Primary Art site, <http://wgpart.synthasite.com>, created 2008
- Wintergreen Primary Afterschool Art Studio, <http://wgpafterschoolartstudio.synthasite.com>, created 2008
- Arts Collaboration site, <http://wgpartmusic.synthasite.com>, created 2008
- K-2 Clay Curriculum, <http://k2clay.synthasite.com>, created 2008
- Literacy and Art Reading Module site, <http://literacyart-jenniferlovegironda.synthasite.com>, 2008

PRESENTATIONS:

- Gironda, J.L. (2010) *Granted: Grant Writing Presentation*. Norton Museum of Art, West Palm Beach FL. (PBCATA members and guests)
- Gironda, J.L. (2009). *Second Grade Textile Curriculum based on an Independent Study with Christine Zoller, Area Coordinator*. East Carolina University Textiles students, Greenville, NC
- Gironda, J.L. (2008). *K-2 Clay Curriculum based on an Independent Study with Seo Eo*. East Carolina University Art Education Guild, Greenville, NC
- Gironda, J.L. (2008). *Arts Collaboration for Elementary Teachers*. East Carolina Pre-service Elementary

Teachers, Greenville, NC

SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS/ SERVICE:

Florida Art Education Association (FAEA), 2009-2010

Palm Beach County Art Teacher's Association, 2009-2011, Secretary 2010-2011

Martin County Arts Council, member/artist, 2009-2010

North Carolina Association of Educators (NCAE), Member, 2008

North Carolina Art Education Association (NCAEA),

Member 1999-2003, 2008, Student Division President, 1999-2001, Board of Directors, 1999-2003, Youth Art Month Chair 2003

National Art Education Association (NAEA), Member 1999-2003, 2008

Member, Artist's League of the Sandhills, Southern Pines, NC, 2005

North Carolina Cheerleading Coaches Association (NCCCA), Member, 2003-2008, Board of Directors, Regional Representative, Web-master, www.nccca.net

Art Education Guild, East Carolina University, Member, 1996-2001 President, 1999-2000, Secretary, 1998-99

ECU Textile Guild, East Carolina University, Member, 1997-2001, Vice President, 1999-2000, Secretary, 1998-99

Visual Art Forum, East Carolina University, Secretary 1999-2000

UNIVERSITY / LOCAL SERVICE:

Volunteer Assistant Cheerleading Coach, Palm Beach Gardens High School, 2010-2011

Clinical Teacher, 2008-09, Pitt County

ECU School of Art and Design, Distance Education Committee, Graduate Representative, 2008

Graduate Representative, Search committee for Art Education/Distance Education (SOAD), ECU, 2007-2008

Council for Teacher Education, Graduate Representative, East Carolina University, 2008

Teacher's Executive Institute Steering Committee, Pitt County Schools, 2008

Gamma Sigma Sigma National Service Sorority, East Carolina University, Member, 1996-2003,

Chapter Consultant (2002-03), Alumni Chapter President (2001-02), Alumni Chapter

Parliamentarian (2000-01), President (1999-2000), Historian (1998-9), Membership Vice-President

(1997-98), Pledge Class President (1996-97)

Pan Hellenic Council, Carolina University, Member, 1999-2000

STUDIO EXPERIENCE:

Gallery Representation, Artists Alley, Southern Pines NC, current

Pitt County Schools, Rock the Bus Exhibit, Emerge Gallery, 2009

Graduate Textiles Show, Greenville Museum of Art, 2009

Graduate Project Show-featuring student artwork, Greenville Museum of Art, 2009

The Sketchbook Project, exhibit in several US cities, 2009

Tiny Art Show, Emerge Gallery, 2009

STUDIO EXPERIENCE continued:

Graduate Artists' Forum (GAF) Exhibit, Emerge Gallery, 2009
Joyner Library Graduate Exhibit, East Carolina University, 2008
Rock the Bus Educator Exhibit, Emerge Gallery, Pitt County Schools, 2008
Gallery Representation, Artist's Emporium Gallery, Savannah, GA, 2005-2007
Gallery Representation, Jump and Shout (JAS), Burlington, NC, 2005-2007
Emerge Gallery, Tiny Art Show, 2003-2005
Emerge Gallery, Barbie Show, 2003-2005
Meredith College Educator Exhibition, 2004
Tulsa Stained Glass Design Contest, Grand Prize Winner, 2003
Designs for Jump and Shout and Servant's Heart, 2004-2005
Rebel Art competition, first place textiles, East Carolina University, 2000
Illumina Art exhibit, East Carolina University, 1999
DeElla Wade Willis Textiles Scholarship recipient, East Carolina University, 1999-2001
Undergraduate Exhibition, East Carolina University, 1998

OTHER INTERESTS:

Currently volunteer/coaching at Palm Beach Gardens High School, Cheerleading Coach and Judge. Head Coach, Pitt County Community Schools and Recreation Cheerleading Program (PCCCSR), 2008-2009. Head Coach, Leesville Road High School, 2003-05. Volunteer Coach, DHC Varsity 2001-02. Assistant Coach, DHC Varsity 2002-2003. Volunteer coach, E.B. Aycock Middle School competition squad, 2000-01. Judge for Regional and National Events across the United States, 2004-present including Cheersport and UCA High School National Championships.